

Dear Sir or Madam,

In this day and age, people are more and more unruly, rude, and disregarding of flight crews in their duties to make the cabin safe and to follow basic rules for cabin safety and maintaining a relatively peaceful environment. Allowing the use of cell phones during flight opens the door to a host of problems which we already must deal with to a certain extent. If left unreined, the use of cell phones will become out of control. People in this day and age already seem addicted to their cell phones. As soon as we have landed on the ground, people whip out their cell phones as if they are experiencing serious withdrawal symptoms. While on the ground everyone in the immediate vicinity are exposed to people telling whomever that they are on the ground, what time it is, how much longer, etc. etc. etc. At the risk of sounding like a social commentary instead of a comment, I would like to appeal to your sense of civility as you contemplate what feels like a small tin can overstuffed with passengers yacking away loudly over the roar of engine noise, disturbing other passengers, and causing disruption to the flight crew in their duties, while pilots in the cockpit listen to cell phone jabber while trying to communicate with air traffic control (yes this has happened before) along with the possibility that their use may interfere with navigational devices. Finally, why not open up perfect and flawless communication between potential terrorists from seat to seat, and/or from air to ground in coordinating their operations while making life miserable for everyone else? The use of cell phones during air travel is a very bad, and irresponsible idea. Thanks for your consideration